



STATE of MINNESOTA

Proclamation

WHEREAS: On August 28, 1954, the first Princess Kay of the Milky Way was crowned on the opening day of the Minnesota State Fair; and

WHEREAS: Princess Kay of the Milky Way serves as the official goodwill ambassador for Minnesota's more than 3,600 dairy farm families, and reaches out to help people understand the exemplary animal care and environmental stewardship of dairy farmers; and

WHEREAS: Princess Kay of the Milky Way is a visible reminder of Minnesota's longtime standing as a leading dairy state in which dairy makes a large economic impact; and

WHEREAS: Princess Kay of the Milky Way helps to remind all Minnesotans of the importance of milk, cheese, and yogurt in contributing to a healthy diet; and

WHEREAS: Tonight, August 20, 2014, this great Minnesota tradition continues with the crowning of the 61st Princess Kay of the Milky Way.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MARK DAYTON, Governor of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim
Wednesday, August 20, 2014, as:

PRINCESS KAY OF THE MILKY WAY DAY

in the State of Minnesota.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set
my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State
of Minnesota to be affixed at the State Capitol
this 18th day of August.


GOVERNOR



SECRETARY OF STATE